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Aut inveniam viam, aut faciam.

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CURRENT TOPICS.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND

TEXAS IS to have a colony of Hollanders.

HARRY COUNTY, Mo., has a town called Panacea.

IRISH and Negroes rarely resort to self-destruction.

White sulphur water has been struck near Pineville, Mo.

WATERMELONS are but sixteen cents a hundred in New Orleans.

A YOUNG colored woman has been admitted to the bar in Chicago.

Many steamboats made in Pittsburgh are plying on South American rivers.

CALIFORNIA receives her almond crop of this year as the largest ever grown.

SIX-TENTHS of the population in Japan do not earn more than \$10 a month.

BROUGHT in Argentina has killed 300,000 cattle, 150,000 sheep and 20,000 horses.

A LIGHT suspension bridge was built at Niagara Falls in 1888 and removed in 1884.

BARDONNE BURDITT-COUTTS owns the finest copy of the first folio of Shakespeare, 1623.

THIRTY, though nearly half as large as the United States, has only 4,000,000 inhabitants.

A. D. 105 Trajan built a magnificient stone bridge across the Danube, 4,720 feet long.

MUSKEGO, Mich., is one of the world's chief centers for the manufacture of toys.

THE most extensive mines are those of SAXONY. The galleries have 123 miles of length.

A GAS well at Montpelier, Ind., has changed its tune, and oil flows freely from its mouth.

EVERY civilized nation of the world, even China and Japan, now has a weather bureau.

ROBERT BUCHANAN, the author and playwright, became bankrupt by betting on the races.

WHEN Paris was practically rebuilt by Napoleon III, he chose Washington City as his model.

AS long ago as 1840 the endowed charities of Great Britain amounted to \$1,500,000 annually.

A SECOND-HAND hearse, with the top off, does duty as a wagon on the Milo (Me.) poor farm.

ONE after another of the theological seminaries of the country are opening their doors to women.

THESE is no record that the seventh day was religiously observed in the days of the patriarchs.

A SIGNATURE of billions of feet of pine lumber is predicted from the great northwestern territory.

THE kangaroo readily leaps from 60 to 70 feet. The highest record was made by a horse is 37 feet.

ALUMINUM is now used as a substitute for leather in building up the heels of boots and shoes.

THESE is a twin crystal of emerald in St. Petersburg 7 inches long, 4 broad and weighing 4½ pounds.

THE book of Job written 1520 B. C. describes very accurately several processes of smelting metals.

THE body of a petrified elephant was recently found three feet below the surface at Castle Rock, Kas.

THE customs authorities at Boston have decided that the works of Zola are immoral but not obscene.

IN Italy five centuries ago every person that wore shoes was obliged to pay a state tax for the privilege.

THE principle of trial by jury was anguished in 469. Every accused person to be tried only by his equals.

SOUTHERN cotton planters claim that the oil mills have made a combine against their cotton seed products.

Moss grows thickest on the north side of hills, and a sun-exposed tree has the largest limbs on the south side.

EVERY pint of port, sherry or Madeira has four ounces of alcohol; every pint of champagne has three ounces.

MOSES HALL, a colored resident of Owings Mills, near Baltimore, has a great head, it requiring a 7½% tax to fill it.

A WOOD-STONE is now made of sawdust, cement and magnesia, which can be saved, planed or bored like natural wood.

WAR-TIME journalism is recalled in the forced publication of a late issue of the Whiting (Ind.) News on wall paper.

THE sacred tree, uprooted by a cyclone that swept over Ceylon in October, 1887, was believed to be 2,173 years old.

THESE is now a continuous line of steel railway between Lowell and Haverhill, Mass., a distance of forty-two miles.

THE nineteen Lieutenant-generals of the confederate army only Hampton, Wheeler, Longstreet and Gordon are now living.

THE poker players of the senate are Brice, Manderson, Hale, Pettigrew and Quay, and Quay is accounted the best of them all.

SLATER, Mo., has a ten-year-old boy who rides a grown up boy by standing on one side of it with both feet on one pedal.

JIM CROW, an Indian boy of Marquette, Wis., recently had his leg cut off while trying to save a dog from being crushed by a train.

GEO. W. CUTTS Lee has presented to the Washington and Lee university, the piano that belonged to his father, Gen. Robert E. Lee.

GREAT sympathy for the family of William Walter Phelps is expressed in Germany, where the deceased was a United States minister.

THE most remarkable formations of rock known to the meteorologist are found on Mt. Washington, where the crystals are often a foot long.

FORMERLY all the mandolins used in this country were imported from Germany and Italy. Now nearly all that are used here are of home make.

MR. LABOUCHE carries his radicalism so far as to refrain from giving the readers of his paper any information of the birth of an heir to the throne.

ENGLISH compulsory labor prisons, the prisoners pass nine months in solitary confinement and are then assigned to the public works prison for hard labor.

MR. CARMIR-PERIER, the new president of France, received from his father the snug legacy of 40,000,000 francs, and has since added largely to his fortune.

MRS. ALICE MOORE, of Cleveland, is one of the few women who have made a century record on the bicycle. A century run means to ride a hundred miles in a day.

PINEAPPLES, oranges and that sort of things are commonly enough sold from wagons, but a man appeared in New York, the other day, selling shirts from a wagon—negro shirts, dried yesterday from a sudden stroke of paralysis.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND

Died Suddenly.

BOLDLY DEFENDS HIS POSITION ON THE PENDING TARIFF BILL.

HE SAYS THAT WOOL ON THE FREE LIST AND IRON AND COAL PROTECTED IS OUTRAGEOUS AND UNFAIR DISCRIMINATION.

A DECIDED POLITICAL SENSATION.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Intense interest was created by Mr. Wilson, yesterday, in his letter from President Cleveland, which the latter had permitted to be made public. The letter was then sent to the desk and read with profound silence. The letter was in the president's vigorous style and was a stinging tribute to the Wilson bill and a direct blow at any surrender to the senate bill. President Cleveland's letter is as follows:

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
WASHINGTON, July 19, 1894.

Hon. William L. Wilson:

My Dear Sir:—The certainty that a conference will be ordered between the two houses of congress for the purpose of adjusting differences on the subject of tariff legislation makes it necessary for me to take a position on the subject. I have no objection to do hard service in the cause of tariff reform. My public life has been so closely related to the subject. I have no longer for its accomplishment, and I have so often promised its results to the public that I hope it is necessary for my earnest appeal to you that in this crisis you strengthen your position and do not yield to the pressure of the rank and file of the democracy.

Mr. Ed. Hopper, secretary of the Lexington Jockey club, suffered a severe cut in the back of his head and his back was badly wounded.

Mr. Gratz Hanley, secretary of the Lexington Jockey club, was thrown against a seat and suffered a wrist sprain. There were a number of others who were cut and bruised, but none of the hurts were serious.

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The engines were almost into each other when first seen. Both engineers put on the brakes. But it was too late.

The engines crashed into each other and remained locked together. The forward postal car was partly telescoped by the tender.

Engineer Hart remained at his post.

Fireman Taylor who was killed was stooping down firing his engine, and did not hear Brakeman Miller's warning in time, and was caught between the engine and tender. Miller jumped and escaped with some bruises. Engineer Diver, of the express, put on the brakes so hard that everybody in his train was thrown forward, and the collision occurring only an instant later, there was the effect of two shocks, the heavy surge from the brakes and the collision.

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"As one of the A. R. U. put it: "The present strike will never be declared off by Mr. Darr, and we expect, if the Chicago switchmen remain firm, that the Chicago men will eventually compromise on a basis satisfactory to all."

The present strike not being declared off, a convention of the char-

acter described will be entirely in place, and will bring together at that time the strongest labor organization in the world. There will be a full analysis of wage scales before any demand is made on capital for a change, and the east will be strongly represented in the new labor organizations then as the west is now. The movement of May 1, 1895, then, will be only a re-enforcement of the strike begun on June 26, 1894."

"In this plan much is expected of the new American labor union, whose membership is now claimed to be 1,000, and has opened its ranks to every class of labor except railroad employees.

"Those behind the plan for the January convention expect the acquittal of Debs by the courts, and that following this, he will make a tour of the east, delivering speeches and organizing branches of his order, while campagners from the American Labor union will follow him to make inroads into the ranks of the Gompers followers.

"They argue that the time was never better for the establishment of a labor union to control all the labor factions outside of railroad work.

"The A. R. U. officials point to the ruin of the Mutual Aid association of the switchmen, and the fact that the American Railway union has already absorbed half of its membership, and will have the rest as soon as it provides an insurance department for death and a beneficiary for accident.

"As to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the union officials regard them as practically officially dead, they cite the dissolution of lodges of this order at Champaign, Danville, Terre Haute and in all parts of the country but the east, as evidence that the engineers either wish to be independent of or are ripe for a new organization.

"Given, therefore, the switchmen and engineers, with what they have already, then A. R. U. officials count on a convention in January of two thousand delegates, representing every branch of labor from a newsboy to a railroad engineer, and with Mr. Debs presiding.

"The statement was made broadly at A. R. U. headquarters that President Soverigal would not interpose a single objection to the total absorption of the Knights of Labor by the American Railway union, and that since the fiasco of the strike for the establishment of a new labor union, the east will be a strong labor organization in the world.

"The post office department, and the post office department under the new contract with the bureau of engraving and printing will not be ready for general circulation before the first of August.

"Thomas Moran, the Chicago striker arrested for derailing the limited express on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, was held to the grand jury under bail of \$5,000.

"John Hickman, aged 66 years, died in his cell at the Joliet (Ill.) penitentiary. He had been in prison since April 5, 1870, for murdering his wife, in Cass county, Ill.

"The contract for the construction of the Monon railway main shops at Lafayette was let to the Lafayette Bridge and Taylor Lumber Cos., of that city, for \$127,000.

"At Monmouth, Ill., Truman Plantz, of Hancock county, was nominated for congress by the democratic convention of the Fifteenth district on the 30th ballot Wednesday.

"The debris has all been removed from the Cumberland Gap tunnel. The first train was taken through Wednesday afternoon, and through traffic will be restored at once.

"A supply of provisions to last the men for thirty days has been sent to Oakland, Cal. The sailors and marines now at Oakland are to be kept there for an indefinite period.

"The coal mining companies at Durango, Colo., informed their men that they would not accede to their request not to send coal to the railroad company, and the miners returned to work.

"At a meeting of the Central Labor union of Cleveland, O., a resolution was adopted demanding a congressional investigation of Judge A. J. Ricks, of the United States circuit court.

"The postage stamp furnished the post office department under the new contract with the bureau of engraving and printing will not be ready for general circulation before the first of August.

"The Union Manufacturing Co.'s plant at Spivey Station, on the Pennsylvania road, near Pittsburgh, burned, loss \$50,000. A boarding-house, grocery store and the post office were also destroyed.

Capt. Festus Cowherd, a C. & O. freight conductor running between Hinton and Handley, was thrown up against a desk by the sudden stoppage of his train at Hinton, W. Va. and fatally injured.

"District Assembly No. 3, one of the largest in the order of the Knights of Labor, elected four delegates to the next general assembly, all of whom are anti-Sovereign men and are favorable to Powderly.

"Miss Clara Fritz, a handsome girl, of highly respectable people at Miami, Miami, Miami, Ind., committed suicide Thursday afternoon with arsenic, dying almost immediately. Cause unknown, but supposed to be a love affair.

"Arrangements are perfected for the annual meeting of Eastern Indiana Red Men's association at Anderson, August 1. One hundred and fifty dollars, in four prizes, is offered to tribes having the largest percentage of membership present.

"The steamship Mariposa, from Samoa, brings from Samoa news of a skirmish in which the government forces defeated the rebels, killing twenty-two men. A petition that the islands be annexed to Germany has been sent to Emperor William.

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FRIDAY, JULY 27, 1894.

Democratic Ticket.

FOR CONGRESS,
ROLLA K. HART,
Of Fleming County.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE,
W. H. WOODS.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY,
G. W. SKAGGS.

FOR COUNTY CLERK,
ROBERT DIXON.

FOR SHERIFF,
J. W. SHANNON.

FOR JAILER,
R. S. CHAFFIN.

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" 5, Bud Daniels
" 6, Hugh Dobbins

By more than a two-thirds majority the House passed a bill providing for the election of United States Senators by the direct vote of the people. The bill should become a law, but as it has to run the gauntlet of the Senate it will never come through alive.

Cleveland's letter to Wilson, and his appointment of Clifton R. Breckinridge, are but two more straws showing how the wind blows around him instead of through him when he and his backbone are headed against the wind.—Frankfort Capital.

President Cleveland has chosen Judge Lyman Trumbull, of Chicago, and a prominent New York gentleman who has always taken a deep interest in the cause of labor, to serve as members of the commission to investigate the Chicago strike, with Commissioner Carroll D. Wright.

President Cleveland did the prop-
er thing when he appointed Hon. Clinton R. Breckinridge, of Arkansas, Minister to Russia. Mr. Breckinridge has been a faithful and prominent member of Congress for many years, but was re-
fused renomination a short time ago because he voted for the repeal of the Sherman silver law.

The general opinion of late years has been that Dick Tate, Kentucky's defaulting ex-Treasurer, was dead. The Courier-Journal publishes an authentic statement showing that the ex-Treasurer is still alive and in Japan. Ensign Rodman, of the United States Navy, who was recently in Frank-
fort, says he only saw Tate in Japan, but visited him at his home.

Col. Ion. B. Nall, President of the Kentucky Press Association and editor of the Farmers' Home Journal of this city, has determined to make the race for the Democratic nomination for Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics of Kentucky. Col. Nall would make an admirable Commissioner. He is popularly known throughout the State and will undoubtedly be a most formidable candidate.—C. J.

Chairman Harter, of the House Sub-committee on Trusts, has written to President Havemeyer, of the Sugar Trust, requesting him to furnish certain information, as to the financial status of the big monopoly. This information, Mr. Harter explains, is desired in order to arrive at an intelligent opinion as to the merits of the demands of the trust for protection by taxation. Of course Mr. Havemeyer refused to give the information.

The Missouri Pacific is discharging all of its employees who are members of the American Railway Union.

The Hon. Nicholas McDowell, of Boyle County, has announced his candidacy for Commissioner of Agriculture of Kentucky, the office he now holds by appointment.

While the Masons will not say that Col. Breckinridge has been expelled from his lodge at Lexington, a new list of the membership of the lodge fails to contain his name.

All of the plunbers on horseback come to grief sooner or later. The wealthy Mike Dwyer, who is said to have quit last season a half million out, lost \$50,000 at Bright Beach Sunday.

Read President Cleveland's plain talk on the tariff situation, which appears on our first page. The letter caused a great stir in the Senate and brought forth many frothy speeches, more to their own hurt, however, than to the damage of the President. It is now thought that an agreement will be reached and a bill passed soon.

The McKinley law is the most atrocious law of importance ever thrust upon the people of this country. It benefits no one but a handful of manufacturers. It does not benefit those in a moderate and reasonable degree, but to an extent which makes millionaires of them in a very few years. This enormous "protection" is excused by the Republican party by shouting in loud tones that it is given to the manufacturer so as to "enable" him to pay the workingmen high wages. Notice that they say "enable." They do not compel the manufacturer to pay those high wages, however, after having "enabled" him to do so, but trust to his honor and philanthropy; and of course the laboring man doesn't get it. Ninety-nine one hundredths of the manufacturers are human hogs, just the same as the rest of humanity, and they take all they can get. The enormous protection placed upon the goods manufactured is taken advantage of to raise the price of goods. Still the wages of their workmen are not raised, but are reduced upon every pretext. The people of the whole country are made to pay higher prices for all they consume. The McKinley rate of protection is so high that all imports are shut out and the revenue for paying the expenses of the government is cut off; the consequence being that it is necessary to issue bonds (which is nothing more nor less than borrowing money) in order to get money to run this government. Who must finally pay off these bonds? The people, of course. Therefore, the people are made to pay to the manufacturers a tribute which amounts to more than double the sum necessary to run the government, and must also bear the burdens of the expenses of the country. Even if the laboring man got this tribute the case would not be so deplorable; but no one gets any of it except the manufacturer.

With the McKinley law on our books for ten years the country would be almost hopelessly bankrupt.

The Case of John and Jack.

Two men work a week and earn \$15 each. One of them, John, takes his wages Saturday and goes straight home and kisses his wife and hands her \$10. She makes that amount pay all the family expenses of the coming week, and on Monday John puts the other \$5 in the bank. Sometimes John doesn't find quite so much to put in, and sometimes his wife not quite so much to spend for the living, but they manage always to live and put something away.

The other man, Jack, stops on his way home Saturday night and pays a bar bill of \$2 or \$3. The barkeeper sets 'em up and Jack throws in a big slug. Other Jacks come in and Jack gets home to a late supper, half full of whisky, his pocket half emptied of cash. His wife buys all the necessities on credit and pays the bill as she can squeeze the money out of the man, and leaves it to the collector to get. By Monday all the money is gone and none of it into the bank.

Years go by. John moves into a better house and Jack into a poorer one. John is foreman of the shop and Jack is the first man to be laid off in slack times. John's bank balance swells, while Jack's nose and store accounts swell. By and by John starts a shop of his own, thereby becoming a capitalist. Jack loses his job, thereby becoming a tramp. John attends to his business with frugality and industry and gets rich, while Jack is never able to get off the bar on which he is stranded in his youth, and becomes a striker—a "down trodden son of toil."

And this is the way in which capital is the offspring of labor. This is the way that the "stolen fruit" is gathered by wealth. This is the simple, unvarnished truth.—Tampa Times.

Cough leads to Consumption, Kemp Balsam stops the Cough at once.

School Per Capita.

The State Superintendent has issued the following circular: "The Auditor's estimate, due this day in accordance with the revised law, has been rendered, and I find that a per capita of only \$2.75 can be declared.

This will be in the nature of a disappointment, as it has been contemplated that at least the rate of last year could be maintained, but in view of the prevailing financial depression and the particularly embarrassed condition into which Kentucky has fallen by reason of a lower tax rate, and a decreased assessment, and extraordinary expenditures since 1890, consequent upon the Constitutional Convention and two sessions of the Legislature, one of which was of extraordinary length, it is a matter of congratulation that the School Fund has suffered so little.

Last year I deemed it my duty to make the per capita sufficiently large to give the schools the use of the fund, with the exception of a comparatively very small balance to meet possible contingencies, rather than leave lying idle here about \$280,000, as was found to be the case the year before, or \$360,000, as in the year preceding that. Of the policy of reserving anything except a bare sufficiency to prevent overrunning the people might justly complain, and I acted, as I thought, consistently with the public interests.

It is proper to explain to the people, through you, why it is impossible to maintain the high rate of last year:

1. The Assessors' returns of taxable values for the fiscal year just closed were more than \$25,000 less than those for the year preceding that. This, of course, means a marked decrease of funds available for the schools.

2. It is estimated that the tax on banks, the stock license, &c., will be materially less.

3. The census returns show an increased school population of 7,565, requiring an additional fund of more than \$20,000.

There has been some increase in two or three sources of revenue, and the Auditor has credited to the School Fund the full amount due it on account of money recovered from defaulting officers and returned to the Treasury; but all these are by no means sufficient to meet the general falling off and justify a per capita exceeding \$2.75.

Yours truly,
Ed PORTER THOMPSON.
Floyd County.

Absurdity From Abroad.

We clip the following from the Leeds, Eng., Star-of-Bethlehem:

"A big revolution is now going on in the United States of America, and there is little doubt that the government will be defeated. The dictator, Debs, has been driven from his palace, and he and his ministers are now hiding in the mountains. The great trouble has been experienced in the capital of Chicago, where Grover Cleveland, the ringleader of the rebels, has obtained complete control. The railroad track at that place has been torn up and thrown into the Mississippi river, a stream considerably longer than the Severn and the stock yards, where the government palaces are situated, have been razed to the ground. The trouble was started by a man named Pullman, who has a stronghold in the mountains of Illinois, one of the most considerable provinces of the country."

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Commissioner's Sitting.

Notice is hereby given to all concerned that the undersigned will, on Wednesday, August 8, 1894, at his office in Louisville, Ky., begin sittings in the case of J. W. M. Stowart, assignee, &c., vs. H. S. Southard, &c., and continue same from day to day until completed.

A. J. GARRED, M. C. L. C. C.

Electropoise!

For Babies as Well as Old Folks.

I am glad to say that the Electropoise has cured me of rheumatism and illness, the result of typhoid fever, as well as catarrh. Have used it in the family from mother-in-law 73 years old down to the baby, used it on the baby while teething and it worked like a charm. For throat trouble we have never found anything to equal it. Several of my neighbors have them and are all well pleased. I can not say too much in praise of the Electropoise. Mrs. F. M. CALAHAN, Vernon, Ky.

Brain Congestion and Vertigo Cured with Electropoise.

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Fancy,	3.20

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No Trouble Then.
All night, with many an inward pang,
I watched the shadows creep,
But when the bell for breakfast rang,
Oh, then, how I could sleep!
—Truth.

Remmelle has fresh watermelons.
Fruits and vegetables at Remmelle's.

Vaughan is the place to buy your flour.

Clover Leaf flour \$3.75 per barrel at Vaughan's.

Leonard Castle is the guest of Dick Johnson.

Mrs. Wm. Sneed, of Hardinsburg, is visiting here.

Golden Anchor flour \$3.40 per barrel at Vaughan's.

Fred Shannon is sick with a probable attack of fever.

Don't forget the gold dust washing powder at Vaughan's.

Saunders' face powders, the best made, for sale by Hughes.

Capt. Jas. Welch is lying hopelessly ill of cancer of the stomach.

To have your watch repaired in the best of order take it to Conley's.

If you want your watch or jewelery repairing done in good order take it to Conley's.

B. F. Thomas left yesterday for Burning Springs, W. Va., to be gone about two weeks.

Geo. Wright, the counterfeiter, has a given bond and his son Calvin has been taken to Louisville.

The base ball uniforms have arrived and are beauties. Hope they are good "batting clothes."

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gallagher, of Cattellburg, spent Sunday in Louisville as guests of M. S. Burns and wife.

The date for the next South Methodist quarterly meeting at this place has been changed from the 18th to the 11th of August.

The Hurt is cultivating twelve acres of tobacco on Col. Northup's land and it is pronounced the finest in this section by those who have taken it.

J. F. Davis, late candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailer, has been nominated for Magistrate by the Republicans of George's creek and Little Blaine.

A number of Louisa people went to Gallup last Saturday as guests of a picnic given by the people of that locality. They report a most pleasant time.

The colored folks opened a camp-meeting last Sunday near this place. All who attend are "lifted to a higher plane"—the meeting is held on top of the hill.

The NEWS went to press before the entertainment by the European Sextete club took place. Every indication pointed to a most enjoyable evening and a large attendance.

You can subscribe for any newspaper or magazine through the news agency at M. F. Conley's store. It will cost you nothing extra and will save postage and trouble of ordering.

The Louisa base ball nine played a second nine known as "Burns' Easies" Wednesday afternoon. The Louisa club won by six scores above the six allowed the other nine in the beginning.

The claim of \$1800 for money expended by Judge J. M. Rice in the contest over his election to Congress, has been passed by both houses of Congress. His many friends were glad to learn of it.

The periodical report of the report of the reorganization of the Three C's railroad company and of the prompt building of the road through the Sandy valley is going the rounds of the press. It is too old a story to cause excitement in this section, however.

As our base ball boys like to keep posted on Ashland's record we mention that that club beat Mayville by a score of 4 to 2 in the first game and was beaten in the second game by a score of 11 to 12. In the third game Ashland won by 9 to 6. The team was met at the train on their return by a brass band and were afterward banquetted.

J. R. Barg, an Austrian who has been selling spectacles in Louisa for about a week, was taken before Police Court Wednesday and fined for selling without having paid the special tax required by the town laws from all merchants, peddlers and other vendors. Some of our home people would do well to look into the law. They might thereby save themselves from being fined.

Ashland Daily News.

Miss Bettie Vessie, of Ashland, is the guest of Miss Phoebe Northup.

The Republicans of the two Louisa precincts met here last Saturday and nominated Wm. Blankenship for Magistrate and Garfield Roberts for Constable. The defeated candidates were Granville Thompson and James See.

The Ladies' Home Missionary Societies of this section will hold a meeting at Mary Moore Chapel, below Lockwood's, on August 16th. Everybody invited, especially the members. The railway has offered a reduced rate—two cents a mile each way.

Mrs. J. W. Rice, See,

Welsh and Harris, the long, slim and hungry looking "gooduns," are back with the Louisa base ball club, and the aggregation will do some hard practicing from now until they start on the trip which is now being arranged. With some good solid practice the boys can put themselves into shape for playing winning ball.

For the Sixth Appellate Judgeship Hon. T. H. Paynter received more votes than any of the other three candidates, having carried ten of the fifteen counties.

The district convention met Wednesday in Augusta. Mr. Paynter went into it with the instruction of all the counties of the Ninth Congressional district, except that the Harrison county vote was contested.

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Henry Snyder was also on dress parade with the surrey.

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In spite of his long illness Joe McClure is the champion market gardener.

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Louisa is the greatest blackberry town in Kentucky, but there has not been a black burying for a long time.

Esquire Perkins was a visitor this week. Perk's Democracy is of the old J. and Jack sort.

A few cows are so fond of music that after the owners take their bells off, they get their friends to put them on again. At least we can account for our nocturnal jingle-jangle in no other way.

The hen roosts, coal houses and gardens in the lower end are suffering at the hands of thieves.

Will Yates was getting acquainted with his family Sunday.

The pick and shovel brigade, Gen. Shannon commanding, has been making rough places smooth and crooked things straight.

The dobor mill has been running double time to supply the demand for its products.

The merchants who advertise in the NEWS report trade fair.

Those who don't advertise are all still in business—very still.

Our country friends are thoughtful enough to occasionally supply the market with choice fresh meat.

Will Sullivan looks lonesome.

He has reason for his appearance, for Mrs. S. is spending the week with her mother.

George Wroten, Jr., is the happy owner of a nice bicycle, the gift of his friend Mr. J. M. G. Watt.

One of our suburban citizens got up one night during the moonlight season recently and watered his sweet potatoes. We won't tell his name, but he was once a steamboat captain.

A Glass House in Danger.

The Pickat has discovered another Democrat who was "traded out" of a nomination. Isn't it funny how some people with beams in their own eyes imagine that they can see notes in the eyes of other people? Whether or not trading is trading depends upon who does the trading, eh?

Lanes Medicine Moves the Jewels Each Day. In order to be healthy this is necessary.

A full line of School Books at M. F. Conley's.

Notice.

All surveyors and superintendents of public roads of Lawrence county are requested to call at the County Clerk's office and get a copy of the new road law and blank road receipts.

Rour. DIXON, Co. Clerk.

PICK UP

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SERIOUS SHOOTING

Whiskey Responsible, As Usual.

On last Sunday night Jerry Riffe, Jr., shot and dangerously wounded Lee Moseley at Webbville in this county. It occurred on an E. K. railway train which was just returning with an excursion party which had been to Greenup county. Both parties were drunk but were the best of friends. They had been cursing each other "for fun" and Moseley had his knife in his hand. Riffe took out his revolver and something was said between them about cutting and shooting. Riffe's revolver was of the "self-acting" kind. It was discharged and the ball entered Moseley's abdomen.

The shooting is thought to have been accidental, the result of the careless handling of the revolver by Riffe, who was very drunk. He is out on bail, awaiting an examination set for tomorrow. Both parties are unmarried. Moseley is a brother to the man who was killed by his father-in-law, McKinney, several months ago.

LAER: Moseley died Tuesday.

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